

AB248: The **Physical Therapy Compact** stands out among other compacts: *Here's why*↓

It's experienced: The PTC is tried and true, nearly a decade old.

It's popular: It includes 38 member states plus Washington, D.C.

It's low cost: PTC commission fee is just \$45.

It's focused: Unlike broader compacts, the PTC focuses solely on physical therapy.

It's supported: Unlike other compacts, the PTC is fully endorsed by all stakeholders from the licensees to licensing board, *including*:

- **Nevada's State Board of Physical Therapy**
- **Nevada's Physical Therapy Association**
- **Federation of State Boards of Physical Therapy**
- **Council of State Governments**
- **Department of Defense**

It's passed: Nevada Senate unanimously passed the PTC in 2023.

Why now, why Nevada?

- Nevada ranks 45th worst in access to physical therapy care.¹
- Nearly 20% of Nevada's population² are Medicare enrollees, and the PTC enhances access to PT for these patients.
- With three major military installations, Nevada benefits from the PTC's support for military families.
- As the sixth fastest-growing state³, Nevada faces growing healthcare shortages, which the PTC eases.

Considering these benefits, we respectfully urge the prioritization and passage of the Physical Therapy Compact (AB248)

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¹https://ppc.nv.gov/uploadedFiles/ppcnvgov/content/Meetings/2020/LCB-HealthRankingsFactsheet_2020.pdf

²<https://www.healthinsurance.org/medicare/nevada/>

³<https://www.census.gov/newsroom/press-releases/2024/population-estimates-international-migration.html#:~:text=6-,Nevada,-3%2C105%2C595>